



*SJm*  
*AF*  
**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: **10/562,140**

Filing Date: December 23, 2005

Applicant: Yoshifumi ADACHI et al.

Conf. No.: 5533

Examiner: Karuna P. Reddy

Group Art Unit: 1764

Title: WATER ABSORBENT RESIN COMPOSITION AND  
PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF

Atty. Dkt. No.: 12480-000155/US

Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
Mail Stop **AF**

February 2, 2011

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the "final" Office Action (hereinafter 'Action') mailed on November 18, 2010, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

	<b>Claims remaining after Amendment</b>		<b>Highest number previously paid for</b>		<b>Present extra</b>
<b>Total</b>	24	-	25	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	4	-	5	=	0